TOWN OF NEW WINDSOR

RESOLUTION NO08-07-19

WHEREAS, by virtue of the authority contained in <u>Local Government</u> Article 5-101 *et seq* of the Annotated Code of Maryland and Section 205-37 of the Code of the Town of New Windsor, the Mayor and Council are authorized to establish a schedule of fees for the public water and sewer systems within the Town; and

WHEREAS, additional grant funds received by the Town from the State for the new fiscal year allow the Town to reduce the existing base rate for water service by the amount of Eight Dollars (\$8.00) per quarter, from One Hundred Thirty-seven Dollars (\$137.00) to One Hundred Twenty-nine Dollars (\$129.00); and

WHEREAS, annually on July 1, the base rate increases Two Dollars (\$2.00), resulting in a base rate for water service of One Hundred Thirty-one Dollars (\$131.00) per quarter, commencing July 1, 2019; and

WHEREAS, this new base rate necessitates a new rate structure to be adopted by the Town to reflect the reduction and to establish future rates;

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF NEW WINDSOR

ARTICLE 1. That water service connection rates (the "Base Rate") shall be as follows:

- A. (1) From July 1, 2019 through June 30, 2020, all service connections shall be assessed and charged a quarterly Base Unit Charge of One Hundred Thirty-one Dollars (\$131.00).
- (2) From July 1, 2020 through June 30, 2021, all service connections shall be assessed and charged a quarterly Base Unit Charge of One Hundred Thirty-three Dollars (\$133.00).
- (3) From July 1, 2021 through June 30, 2022, all service connections shall be assessed and charged a quarterly Base Unit Charge of One Hundred Thirty-five Dollars (\$135.00).
- (4) From July 1, 2022 through June 30, 2023, all service connections shall be assessed and charged a quarterly Base Unit Charge of One Hundred Thirty-seven Dollars (\$137.00).

- B. After July 1, 2023, and annually, the Base Unit Charge shall automatically increase at a rate of Two Dollars (\$2.00) per quarter, and the Water Usage Rate shall automatically increase at a rate of Three Percent (3%).
- **ARTICLE 2.** All other provisions of Resolution No. 05-21-18 as adopted May 21, 2018, and Resolution No. 09-05-18, establishing water usage rates, sewer base rates and sewer usage rates remain in full force and effect.
- **ARTICLE 3.** This Resolution shall apply to all connections to public water and sewer service in existence on July 1, 2019 or thereafter established.

ARTICLE 4. This Resolution shall become effective on July 1, 2019.

WITNESS my signature and day of August, 2019	the Seal of the Town of New Windsor this
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ATTEST:	MAYOR AND COUNCIL OF THE TOWN OF NEW WINDSOR
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Donna Alban, Clerk/Treasurer	Neal C. Roop, Mayor

Approved as to form and legal sufficiency:

Michelle M. Ostrander

Town Attorney